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FOR:	TAMPER-RESISTANT MODULAR MULTIPLICATION METHOD

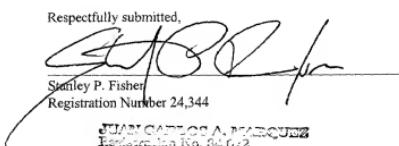
Enclosed are:

- 17 sheets of formal informal drawings.
 - Transmittal of certified copy of Japanese application 2001-060223 to claim priority date of March 5, 2001.
 - An Information Disclosure Statement with PTO Form 1449.
 - An assignment of the invention to Hitachi, Ltd.
 - An Executed Declaration
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